SCANS & ITALIAN TRANSLATION CREDITS TO: MANGA DIARY SCANLATIONS
ENGLISH TRANSLATIONS, PROOFREADING, EDITING & TYPESETTING CREDITS TO: MISSBERRYTAN

第5話

STORY

◆朝もスタイルも成績もフツー、だけど、絵を描くことが大好きなしま。"特別な女"になるべく上京し、音楽美術学園に入学する。◆しまは、"天才"と呼ばれ学園で有名な佐治と出会うが、"ヌードモデルやんない？"と誘われ最悪。しかも、同じクラスで同室に。◆そんな中、2人一組で作品を作って発表する行事"青葉祭"で、佐治のパートナーに選ばれたしま。だけど、「私の絵を育んでくれるのは、昔から妹だけじゃ」「親は私の絵なんかキョーミなかった」と、いつも病弱な妹だけが両親のトクベツだったことを佐治に打ち明ける。◆「悲しい」とも「悲しい」とも、言葉にするよりもっと強く、描いて伝えたいと思わねぇか？お前にはそれができるとオレは思った」と佐治に言われたしまは、悩んだ結果、パートナーを引き受けることにして!?

佐治 暁（さじ あきら）
16歳の天才と呼ばれる特別な生徒。

一ノ瀬しま（いちのせ しま）
絵を描くのが大好き。特別な天才になるため上京。

如月星名（きさらぎ せいな）
しまと同じ学園で女子寮の向かいと隣部屋の住人。2人は恋人同士。

安藤更紗（あんどう さらさ）

マユゲ(♀)
しまのペット。通称マユ。

I LOVE YOU

WHAT'S YOUR PROBLEM? TO MAKE A GIRL CARRY BOXES, THIS IS HEAVY!
YOU'RE NOT A REAL MAN
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PFFT!
"A GIRL", YOU SAY?
BUT I LOOK LIKE A GIRL
ARE YOU LISTENING TO ME?
SAJI!
HEY!

IS SHE REALLY
SAJI'S PARTNER?
SERIOUSLY?
SHE'S HIS PARTNER?
IN THE END, WE BECAME PARTNERS.
AS PARTNERS
THIS MEANS THAT WE HAVE TO
CREATE SOMETHING TOGETHER
HEY..!
WAIT UP!
YOU'RE WALKING TOO FAST!

I ALREADY SAID WE NEED TO HURRY
WE STILL HAVE A LOT OF OTHER THINGS TO BRING
AH!
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THIS IS TOO HEAVY! I'M AT MY LIMIT!
メソメソ
This guy only says mean things
He uses people
He's the worst.
WHY DID HE CHOOSE ME TO BE HIS PARTNER?
HEY!
ARE YOU OKAY?
EH ?
AH!

A GIRL CARRYING SO MANY HEAVY BOXES...
IS DANGEROUS. I'LL HELP YOU.
Wow!
How kind
AND BEAU-TIFUL!

YOU JUST NEED TO GO OUT WITH ME ONCE AS THANKS!
I DON'T CARE
WHERE DO YOU NEED TO BRING THESE TO?
WHICH CLASS?
IT'S OKAY! I CAN DO THIS ALONE!
I DIDN'T KNOW THERE WAS SUCH A CUTE GIRL HERE, MISS PIGTAILS!
HEY!
He's trying to seduce me?!

DON'T TOUCH THIS!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
DON'T TELL ME SHE'S YOURS, AKKI!
NO, SHE'S NOT! AND DON'T CALL ME AKKI!
WHO IS THIS...? YOUR FRIEND?
YEP.. WE ARE FRIENDS!
NOT REALLY, HE'S JUST MY ROOM-MATE!

*T/N: "DON'T CALL ME STUPID, MY NAME'S ICHINOSE SHIMA" IS ANOTHER TRANSLATION

HA HA
OI!
...YOU!
YOU'RE NOT SINCERE AT ALL, AKKI!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY "SPECIALLY ASKED"?
THE TEACHERS WERE AGAINST ME BEING HIS PARTNER?

DO AS YOU LIKE!
AKKI?
HEY!
YOU KNOW, THE TEACHERS WERE OPPOSED TO THIS AT FIRST!
THEY SAID SOMEONE AS TALENTED AS SAJI AKATSUKI
SHOULD WORK ALONE.

BUT THIS YEAR
HE SAID HE WANTED TO WORK WITH SOMEONE
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What..
Why...
I WANTED TO BE HIS PARTNER!
THAT JERK!

WHY
DID HE CHOOSE YOU, SHIMA-CHAN?
HEEE
THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I'VE SEEN THAT GUY!
SARASA,
STOP SPYING ON EVERYONE...!

I'M NOT SPYING!
WE'RE JUST HAVING LUNCH AND I COINCIDENTALLY SAW THEM!
ARE IN HERE
WHAT IS GOING TO HAPPEN TO THOSE TWO?
"THOSE TWO"?

SAJI-KUN AND SHIMA!
PEOPLE WITH TALENT FALL IN LOVE EASILY
AND THAT GIRL IS SO SPONTANEOUS!
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..FALL IN LOVE?
IF THAT WERE TO HAPPEN,
I WOULD FEEL BAD FOR SHIMA-CHAN.
BECAUSE SAJI-KUN...
BECAUSE SAJI-KUN STILL HAS "THAT GIRL", RIGHT?
THAT'S SILLY, SENA!

A LOVE WITHOUT A RIVAL
MAKES NO SENSE!
AH!

Pat
Eh?

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HEY!
OPEN THE DOOR MORE SOFTLY!
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WHY DID YOU CHOOSE ME TO BE YOUR PARTNER?
BECAUSE YOU DON'T HAVE ANY-THING BETTER TO DO-
STOP JOKING!

AHH
DESPITE THE FACT THAT I'M YOUR PARTNER,
I ONLY CARRY BOXES!
I DON'T GET WHY I'M HERE!
EXPLAIN TO ME!
THERE'S NO PARTICULAR REASON
IT'S JUST THAT...

...EH?
B...
BUT...
SHUT UP!
I LIKED IT
PAINTING
WITH YOU!

STAY BY MY SIDE
AND PAINT WITH ME, IN SILENCE!

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...YOU'RE SO SLOW...
WHY DON'T YOU UNDER-STAND...
...MY FEELINGS?
OH!
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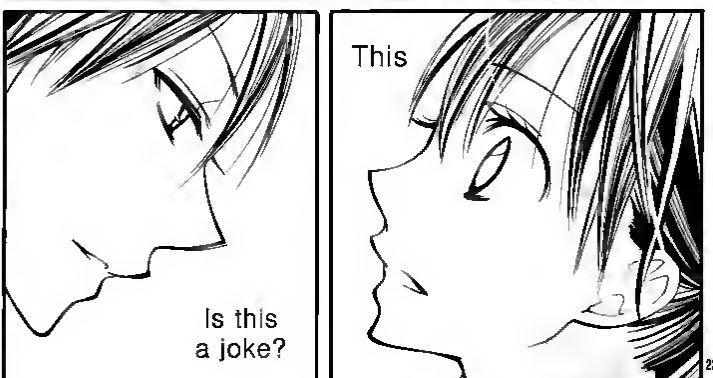
I'M...
IN LOVE WITH YOU...!


This
Is this a joke?

Eh?
JUST KIDDING!
Ha Ha
BUT WHAT AN IDIOT!
WE'RE JUST CLASS-MATES!
BUT HOW COULD I EVER FALL IN LOVE WITH YOU?!
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WHAT?!
Saji Akatsuki.
A GIRL
SO PLAIN!
PFFT!

YOU COULD BE A LITTLE MORE SERIOUS!
a sadistic pervert
GUYS LIKE YOU USUALLY KNEEL BEFORE ME!
who likes to say mean things
OF COURSE!
with no mercy
HEY!!! ARE YOU LISTENING TO ME?!!!
In the end, he's a nice guy.
he's just ...
my natural enemy!
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